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IN RE APPLICATION OF

SMALLHEER ET AL.

APPLICATION NO: 10/824,025

FILED: APRIL 14, 2004

FOR: BIARYLMETHYL INDOLINES, INDOLES AND  
TETRAHYDROQUINOLINES, USEFUL AS SERINE PROTEASE  
INHIBITORS

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56, applicants wish to call the Examiner's attention to the references cited on the attached form(s) PTO-1449.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98 (a)(2)(iii), applicant wishes to call the Examiner's attention to related application No. 10/796,396 filed on March 9, 2004.

The Examiner is requested to consider the foregoing information in relation to this application and indicate that each reference was considered by returning a copy of the initialed PTO 1449 form(s).

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## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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